

BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 91-409-T - ORDER NO. 92-279  
APRIL 17, 1992

IN RE: Application of Tidewater Transit	)	
Company, Inc., Highway 70 West,	)	ORDER
P.O. Box 189, Kinston, NC 28501,	)	APPROVING
for a Class E Certificate of Public	)	DEPOSITION
Convenience and Necessity.	)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the April 6, 1992 request of W. Brantley Harvey, Jr., Esquire, attorney for Tidewater Transit Company, Inc. (Tidewater) pursuant to Commission Rule 103-852. Harvey proposes to take the deposition de bene esse of Mr. Perry T. Smith of Hoechst Celanese Corporation on April 22, 1992 at 11:30 a.m. at the Company building in Charlotte, North Carolina. The hearing on this case is scheduled for April 30, 1992. Smith is Tidewater's witness, but Harvey states that Smith will be unavailable on April 30, 1992. Smith's testimony is necessary, according to Harvey, to delineate Hoechst Celanese's need for the services provided by the Petitioner, Tidewater Transit Company, Inc.

On consideration of this matter, the Commission believes that the request for the deposition, as outlined above, should be granted, since the Petitioner states good cause for the taking of the deposition.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

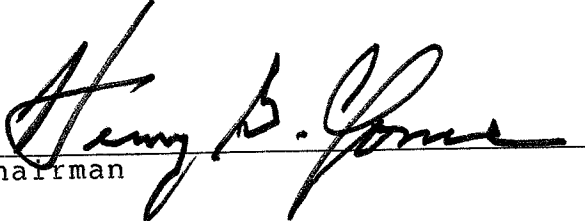
1. That the deposition of Perry T. Smith of Hoechst Celanese Corporation may be taken on April 22, 1992 at 11:30 a.m. at Hoechst Celanese in Charlotte, North Carolina, or at such reasonable time and place as may be agreeable to the parties.

2. The deposition may be taken de bene esse.

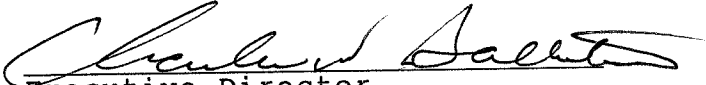
3. That all costs of the deposition shall be paid by the Petitioner.

4. That this Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

  
VICE Chairman

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director  
(SEAL)